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of the  
**Kansas Public Health Association**  
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Holiday Inn

Kansas City, Kansas

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22ND ANNUAL MEETING

of the

KANSAS PUBLIC HEALTH ASSOCIATION



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### Kansas Public Health Association

1963-64

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Sanitation ..... Melville W. Gray, Topeka  
Special Services ..... William G. Green, Topeka

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Elta M. Kennedy, Chairman  
Dwight Allen  
Kenneth A. Gilman

#### Local Arrangements Committee:

Nellie G. Walker, M.D.  
Erin Wettig, R.N.

## PROGRAM

Wednesday Morning, April 22, 1964

8:30 a.m. REGISTRATION ..... Lobby  
9:00 a.m. Kansas Association of Public Health  
              Sanitarians Meeting ..... Fairfax Room  
10:00 a.m. FIRST BUSINESS  
              MEETING ..... John Holiday Room  
              Presiding: Evalyn Gendel, M.D.  
  
Reading of the Minutes and Treasurer's Report:  
              W. W. Wilmore  
  
Section Reports: Section Chairmen  
              Health Officers ..... Joseph R. Henning, M.D.  
              Nurses ..... Shirley Fry, R.N.  
              Sanitarians ..... Melville W. Gray  
              Special Services ..... William G. Green  
  
KPHA Representative to APHA—Report: James  
              F. Aiken, Jr.  
  
Introduction of Resolutions: Elta M. Kennedy,  
              R.N.  
  
Committee Reports: (As time allows)  
  
Adjourn for luncheon (On your own)



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### Wednesday Afternoon, April 22, 1964

- 1:00 p.m. FIRST GENERAL SESSION John Holiday Room  
Presiding: Evalyn Gendel, M.D., Program Chm.  
Kansas City Health Department—1964: Nellie G. Walker, M.D.  
Welcome: Paul F. Mitchum, Mayor of Kansas City, Kansas  
Keynote Address: The Honorable John Anderson, Jr., Governor of Kansas
- 2:15 p.m. Coffee Break
- 2:30 p.m. Public Health Communication  
Presiding: James F. Aiken, Jr.  
Communications Through Training: Al Kinney  
Communications—With City, County and State Administration: Dwight Metzler  
Communications—With the Public: Virginia Lockhart  
Open Floor Discussion  
Adjournment

### Wednesday Evening, April 22, 1964

- 6:30 p.m. HOSPITALITY NIGHT... John Holiday Room  
Buffet Supper  
Entertainment: The Public Health Players Present  
—"Talent Night" or "Son of Chiller"  
Followed by Music and Dancing and/or Cards
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### Thursday Morning, April 23, 1964

- 8:30 a.m. GENERAL SESSION..... John Holiday Room  
Presiding: James F. Aiken, Jr.  
Communications—What Do You Know About It Now?—Al Kinney  
(Demonstration and Lab Session)
- 10:00 a.m. Coffee Break
- 10:15 a.m. Pesticides and Silent Spring: Kenneth D. Quarterman, Ph.D.
- 11:15 a.m. Sectional Business Meetings  
Sanitation Section ..... Fairfax Room  
Nursing Section ..... Jayhawk Room  
Health Officers and Special Services Section ..... John Holiday Room
- 12:00 Noon LUNCHEON (Health Officers, Nursing and Special Services) ..... John Holiday Room  
Can Heart and Blood Vessel Disease be Prevented?: Nathaniel H. Cooper, M.D.  
LUNCHEON (Sanitation Section)  
Speaker: Dwight Metzler

### Thursday Afternoon, April 23, 1964

- 1:30 p.m. GENERAL SESSION..... John Holiday Room  
Presiding: Joseph R. Henning, M.D.  
Immunizations: Current Theory and Practice: John H. Ackerman, M.D.  
Current Status of Immunizing Agents: Paul F. Wehrle, M.D.
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2:40 p.m. Coffee Break

2:55 p.m. Immunization Needs and Programs in Kansas:  
Don E. Wilcox, M.D.

Reactor Panel: Charles Lewis, M.D., Hilbert Ju-  
belt, M.D., and Alice Chenoweth, M.D.

Question Period

Summary: Don E. Wilcox, M.D.

**Thursday Evening, April 23, 1964**

**Six-thirty o'clock**

John Holiday Room, Holiday Inn Kansas City, Kansas

**SAMUEL J. CRUMBINE BANQUET**

Evalyn Gendel, M.D., Presiding

Invocation: The Reverend Judd Jones

Introduction of Guests

Special Services Awards to:

Hannah E. Lindberg, R.N. Russell J. Standbridge  
Presented by: Roberta E. Foote, R.N.

Honorary Membership to:

Roy N. Johnston

Presented by: Evalyn Gendel, M.D.

Crumbine Medal to:

Fred L. Soper, M.D.

Presented by: W. W. Wilmore

Address by Dr. Soper

**Eradication Concept in International Health**

Introduction of New Officers

**Friday Morning, April 24, 1964**

8:30 a.m. GENERAL SESSION . . . . . John Holiday Room

Local Public Health In Kansas—Which Way Can  
It Go?

Presiding: Melville Gray

1. Overview and Current Status: Robert H.  
Riedel, M.D.

2. A New Proposal for Local Public Health:  
Leon Bauman, M.D.

3. Legislative Feasibility for Dynamic Public  
Health Programs: Senator Glee Smith

Reactor Panel

1. County Health Officer: F. P. Wolff, M.D.

2. County Health Nurse: Shirley Fry, R.N.

3. District Sanitarian: Kenneth A. Gilman

4. Family Physician: O. R. Cram, M.D.

10:45 a.m. Coffee Break

11:00 a.m. Buzz Session on Local Public Health (Rooms to  
be assigned)

11:30 a.m. Reassemble for Position Statements and Panel  
Responses



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Friday Afternoon, April 24, 1964

12:30 p.m. Luncheon (All together) . . . John Holiday Room  
Introduction of Speaker: Patricia Schloesser, M.D.

Public Health Needs of an Expanding Youthful  
Population: Alice Chenoweth, M.D.

Questions

2:15 p.m. **SECOND BUSINESS SESSION**

Presiding: Evalyn Gendel, M.D.

Report of Resolutions Committee: Elta M. Kennedy, R.N.

**DRAWING FOR PRIZE** (Winner must be present)

Adjournment

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3:15 p.m. Executive Committee Meeting

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**WHO'S WHO**

JOHN H. ACKERMAN, M.D.—Assistant Chief, Communicable Disease Center, U.S.P.H.S., Atlanta, Georgia

JAMES F. AIKEN, JR.—Environmental Health Director, Wichita-Sedgwick County Health Department, Wichita

JOHN ANDERSON, JR.—Governor of Kansas, Topeka

M. LEON BAUMAN, M.D.—Director, Wichita-Sedgwick County Health Department, Wichita

ALICE CHENOWETH, M.D.—Chief, Program Services Branch, Division of Health Services, Children's Bureau, Washington, D.C.

NATHANIEL H. COOPER, M.D.—Director, Community Service and Education, American Heart Association, Inc., New York, N.Y.

O. R. CRAM, JR., M.D.—Family Physician and Part-time Health Officer, Larned

ROBERTA E. FOOTE, R.N.—General Secretary, Kansas League for Nursing, Topeka

SHIRLEY FRY, R.N.—Republic County Health Nurse, Belleville

EVALYN S. GENDEL, M.D.—Assistant Director, Division of Maternal and Child Health, State Department of Health, Topeka

KENNETH A. GILMAN—State Department of Health District Sanitarian, Salina

MELVILLE W. GRAY—Assistant Director, Environmental Health Services, State Department of Health, Topeka

WILLIAM G. GREEN—Executive Director, Kansas Heart Association, Topeka

JOSEPH R. HENNING, M.D.—Franklin County Health Officer, Ottawa

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ROY N. JOHNSTON—Director, Hospital Section, State Department of Health, Topeka

HILBERT P. JUBELT, M.D.—Director, Manhattan-Riley County Health Department, Manhattan

THE REVEREND JUDD JONES—Minister of the Trinity Methodist Church

ELTA M. KENNEDY, R.N.—Cloud County Health Nurse, Concordia

AL KINNEY—Training Branch, Communicable Disease Center, U.S.P.H.S., Atlanta, Georgia

CHARLES E. LEWIS, M.D.—Associate Professor of Preventive Medicine, Kansas University Medical Center, Kansas City

HANNAH E. LINDBERG, R.N.—McPherson County Health Nurse, McPherson

VIRGINIA LOCKHART—Director, Health Education Services, State Department of Health, Topeka

DWIGHT METZLER—Executive Secretary, Kansas Water Resources Board, Topeka

KENNETH D. QUARTERMAN, Ph.D.—Biologist, Pesticide Program, Bureau of State Services, Washington, D.C.

ROBERT H. RIEDEL, M.D.—State Health Officer, State Department of Health, Topeka

PATRICIA T. SCHLOESSER, M.D.—Director, Division of Maternal and Child Health, State Department of Health, Topeka

FRED L. SOPER, M.D.—Special Consultant, Division of International Health, Public Health Service, Washington, D.C.

SENATOR GLEE S. SMITH, JR.—Chairman, Senate Ways and Means Committee, Kansas Legislature, Edwards County

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RUSSELL J. STANDBRIDGE—Administrative Assistant, Wichita-Sedgewick County Health Department, Wichita

NELLIE G. WALKER, M.D.—Director, Kansas City-Wyandotte County Health Department, Kansas City

PAUL F. WEHRLE, M.D.—Hastings Professor of Pediatrics, University of Southern California, School of Medicine, Los Angeles, California

DON E. WILCOX, M.D.—Director, Disease Prevention and Control Division, State Department of Health, Topeka

W. W. WILMORE—Executive Director, Kansas Tuberculosis and Health Association, Topeka

F. P. WOLFF, M.D.—Pratt County Health Officer, Pratt

